

THE PRESS GANG

Entertained in St. Louis by the Executive Committee of the Exposition Company.

BREAKFAST WAS SERVED THEM

Short Talks Were Made by President Brown and Others, and the Pencil Pushers Continued Their Journey West.

The Sunday St. Louis Globe-Democrat has the following to say of the Kentucky Editorial Excursionists:

The Kentucky editorial excursionists were in town yesterday for a short time. They reached St. Louis, enroute to the West, at daylight, and by 9 o'clock had taken their departure. During their visit they were well treated, however, and left the city loaded down with World's Fair buttons and literature for distribution at Denver and Salt Lake City. The excursionists were met at Union station by Capt. P. Bartholomew and a committee from the press bureau of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, and were immediately escorted to Forest Park in special cars over the transit company lines. They went directly to the cottage, where they were guests of the executive committee of the Exposition company at a very pleasant breakfast. There were 110 ladies and gentlemen in the party.

At the breakfast President R. W. Brown, of the Kentucky Editorial association and the managing editor of the Louisville Times, introduced Former Gov. D. R. Francis, who spoke of the Exposition in 1903 and the interest which Kentuckians by reason of their prominent part in the purchase, should feel in its success. "We are here to welcome your association," said Gov. Francis. "We are glad of this opportunity to extend to you a handshake on your way to the West. You can say to your neighbors at home that the Kentuckians in Missouri look back with pride to the land of blue grass, and always are happy to extend their hands in welcome to their old friends. We should be close friends, we Missourians and Kentuckians, in the celebration of the Louisiana purchase, for it was that unrest on the part of the people of your state to get control of the vast territory west of the Mississippi that aroused in the minds of Jefferson and his associates the importance of the big purchase. We are preparing to appropriately celebrate the acquisition of the Louisiana territory in 1903. Kentucky has not yet made an appropriation for representation at that celebration. We must have your support, for you are the leaders of thought and action within your commonwealth. We know that with your enthusiastic assistance it will go through. We are glad to have you with us this morning."

President Brown next introduced Breckenridge Jones, the executive officer of the St. Louis Kentucky society. Mr. Jones made a very timely address, in which he expressed the hope that the members of the Kentucky Editorial Association would again be the guests of St. Louis during the World's Fair. A fitting response was made by Judge John E. Kelley, of the Bardonia (Ky.) Record, who insisted that the editors of Kentucky, as well as the citizens of that state generally, are ready to unite heart and soul in the celebration of the

Louisiana purchase. At the conclusion of these addresses President Brown made a few remarks which gladdened the hearts of the hosts. "Sentiment is a good thing," he said, "and we have indulged in it freely on this occasion, but the proper thing for the members of this association to do is to get down to hard work here now and pledge Gov. Francis and his associates that the Kentucky people will make an appropriation for representing the state at the World's Fair on such a scale that no Kentuckian who visits the exposition need be ashamed to boast that he is from the Blue Grass State. Let us, then, by a standing vote, pledge that we will exert every influence at our command to secure an appropriation from the next general assembly to the end that Kentucky may be creditably represented at the great Fair." Every editor rose to his feet at the conclusion of President Brown's remarks, and the pledge having been made, the editors, after meeting Gov. Francis and Mr. Jones individually, strolled back through the World's Fair site to the Lindell railway pavilion, where they boarded their special cars and returned to the station.

AT COLORADO SPRINGS.

The Kentucky Press Association Having a Good Time.

Colorado Springs, Col., Aug. 5.—The Kentucky Press Association was entertained at a banquet this evening at the Colorado Springs Hotel by the Interstate Fair Association of Louisville. President Brown acted as chairman, and as an Executive Committee member, represented the Fair Association. Speeches were made by Judge S. B. Toney, of Louisville; Judge John H. Kelly, of the Bardonia Record, and W. H. Jones, of the Glasgow Republican. The banquet, which was held in the superb dining-rooms of the hotel was attended by many citizens of Colorado Springs, as well as members of the press. The Interstate Fair is sure of hearty co-operation on the part of the Kentucky Press. The day was spent in a trip through the "Garden of the Gods" and up Pike's Peak, and was greatly enjoyed. The Kentuckians are more than delighted with this splendid Western trip.

A Notable Threat.

"If necessary I will stop every wheel in the mills of the United States Steel Corporation." This is the declaration of Mr. Theodore J. Shaffer, President of the Amalgamated Association of Iron Steel and Tin Workers, in this week's Independent.

Inasmuch as it is common knowledge that Mr. Shaffer's organized followers constitute but a small portion of the employees of the Steel Company, his threat amounts to a threat of lawlessness. His policy is that of coercion by physical force, of which bloody examples are fresh in every living man's memory.

Mr. Shaffer is a manifest enemy of law and order, and he is dangerous in proportion to his influence.—N. Y. Sun.

EMPEROR FREDERICK IS DEAD.

The Dowager Empress Frederick of Germany died Aug. 4th, at 6:15 p. m. at Friedrichshof. She was Dowager Empress of Germany and Princess Royal of England. Her full name was Victoria Adelaide Mary Louisa. She was born Nov. 21st, 1840. Her death was caused by an affection of the throat.

A DASTARDLY DEED.

Attempted Assassination of the Family of I. Bailey, of Madisonville.

HOUSE RIDDLED WITH STEEL BULLETS

Last Monday morning about 2 o'clock some cowardly scoundrel attempted to assassinate I. Bailey, secretary of the Reinecke Coal Co. or some member of his family. Twelve shots were fired in all, either from Colts revolvers or Winchester rifles. Three shots passed through a window upstairs where Mr. Bailey's seven year old daughter, Agnes, was sleeping and through a wall on the other side several shots struck the house near the window and Mr. Bailey has one of the bullets that passed through two walls of cement and was picked up on the floor in the hallway. It is a 38-calibre bullet cased in steel.

Irving Worthington, a guard who was about the place, heard the shots and saw two men running after the last shot was fired; he could not tell who they were. One bullet struck the residence of L. R. Woodfolk near by. Mr. Bailey has been sick for several days and she and Mr. Bailey were in an adjoining room to that of her daughter when the shooting occurred. No light was burning in their room, the light from the room which the assassins took for a target being sufficient.

After examining the surroundings carefully Mr. Bailey says he is satisfied there is only one place from which the shots could have been fired and that was about 150 yards from his residence in a direct line with the window. That the shooting was carefully planned there can be no doubt.

Mr. Bailey has offered a reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who did the shooting. The attack on Mr. Bailey's residence is denounced in the strongest terms by all good, law-abiding citizens. This wholesale nocturnal shooting of and at Madisonville citizens has become rather a common occurrence and will no doubt continue as long as the county harbors and shelters a certain element of thugs and cut-throats that have for the past few months made it their headquarters.

BROAD FIELD

OFFERED STUDENTS OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT OF STATE COLLEGE.

No better illustration can be offered showing the value of the American polytechnic schools than a statement showing the positions at present held by this year's graduates from the School of Mechanical and Electrical Engineering of the State College of Kentucky. It is to be regretted that the resources of Kentucky are not at the present time being developed so as to take advantage of the engineering training received by Kentucky boys at the State institution. It is a matter of pride, however, to know that Kentucky young men are going to almost every State in the Union and taking up engineering work of the highest type.

The technical education a young man receives at the State College fits him for a definite purpose in life, and the readiness with which the graduates secure positions indicates the unexcelled condition of the engineering field of labor. If the State College had graduated three times as many men in mechanical en-

gineering this year, they would all have secured places where there is an opportunity for advancement into positions paying large salaries and carrying with them great responsibility.

During the ten years of the existence of the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering Department of the State College there has never been a single example of a graduate making a failure of his work, and without exception every State College man has proved satisfactory and efficient in the highest degree.

The condition of manufacturing in the United States should encourage young men to prepare themselves in a profession offering large opportunities. Schools of medicine and law have been sending into the world graduates for the last hundred years, and as a result, a goodly proportion of the young men who prepare themselves in the older professions drift into other lines of work by necessity. The engineering school is the creation of the last twenty-five years, and at the present time there are only about twenty schools in the United States that are large factors in supplying the trained mechanical and electrical engineers to the manufacturing industries of the country.

A heavy investment is required to equip a school for mechanical engineering work. The equipment for mechanical and electrical engineering work at the State College represents about \$100,000, and the school has taken a rank with the best institutions of the country where technical education has been a feature for a much longer time. Kentucky men have been aggressive in engineering work and in many cases have pushed ahead of their co-workers from the great engineering schools from the East. Wherever State College men have gone there has usually been a request for more men for the next year.

The United States is largely characterized by her machine building establishments. The rapid growth of manufacturing industries indicates that there will be an additional demand for well trained mechanical engineers; young men who take up engineering work are assured opportunities that are not met with in any other professions at the present time.

The United States Government and the State of Kentucky have been liberal in furnishing to the youth of Kentucky the best of facilities for pursuing a thorough technical course almost free of cost.—Lexington Leader.

BRAVE GIRL

Kills Thirteen Snakes With a Stick.

Harrodsburg, Ky., Aug. 2.—Yesterday near Mayo, this county, Miss Minnie Bishop, daughter of Mr. George Bishop, was driving up the young turkeys when they suddenly scattered in every direction. Peering over into the weeds to see what had alarmed the turkeys she beheld a writhing mass of entwined serpents. A more timid girl would have fled in terror from so horrible a sight, but not so with Miss Minnie, who secured a heavy stick and made war on them, and succeeded in killing thirteen of the bunch.

In the same neighborhood the same day John Munday was out in the meadow with a shot gun and ran upon a snake. The reptile showed fight, and on tail end began circling around him, drawing closer each time, and Munday shot its head off. It was a big blue racer and measured over six feet in length.

KENTUCKY EDITORS

Were Guests of St. Bernard Coal Co. Last Friday.

BARBECUED DINNER SERVED THEM.

There Was Speechmaking, Cake-Walking and a General Good Time at Lakeside Park.

The Barbecue given at Lakeside Park in honor of the Kentucky Press Association was a pronounced success and will long be remembered by the jovial fun loving participants. The K. P. A. special Louisville and Nashville train consisting of eight cars bearing the Kentucky Editors arrived at Earlinton about noon. A committee consisting of Paul M. Moore, G. C. Atkinson, Mayor Burr, James Rash, Col. E. G. Sebrer, Jno. W. Logsdon, Col. W. F. Sheridan, Seely Dunn, M. Devey and Major Starling Thompson of Henderson, accompanied the train from Madisonville to Earlinton, where they were met by a committee composed of representatives of the St. Bernard Coal Co., and a number of Earlinton citizens. Every available carriage and hack was called into service from the four lively stables and the crowd numbering some three hundred were quickly driven to the beautiful Lakeside Park where underneath the shade of the native Kentucky trees was spread an elegant and sumptuous repast. The welcome address was made by Mayor Burr, Jas. R. Rash, Col. E. G. Sebrer, R. E. Morningstar, Secy., and W. R. Brown, President of the Association also made speeches, sparkling with wit and humor. The Madisonville Band made inspiring, soul-stirring music and the pleasure of the evening was greatly enlivened with a cake walk by Geo. C. Agins, Miss Waller, of Hopkinsville, R. L. Morningstar, Miss Laura Norwood, W. R. Brown, Mrs. Ross of Madisonville and others. It was generally conceded the honors of the day were carried off by Miss Norwood and G. C. Atkinson. The party left on their special train at 9:30 p. m. for Denver, Salt Lake City and other points of interest in the far west. They were loud and emphatic in praise of the St. Bernard Coal Co., whose guests they were while here.

Below we give the names of the editors and their friends who will make the western tour and we wish them one and all a pleasant profitable journey and a safe return to home and friends:

Adairville Banner—W. E. Jenkins and wife.
Ashland Daily Independent—G. F. Friel and wife.
Ashland Weekly Independent—J. H. Preston and wife.
Bowling Green Times-Herald—J. G. and H. H. Denhardt.
Bowling Green Courier—R. E. Morningstar and wife.
Bardwell Star—Allison Tyler and Miss Lou Morris.
Brandenburg Messenger—D. M. Duncan.
Bardonia Record—Leslie Samuels, J. S. Kelley and Miss Annie Kelley.
Carlisle Mercury—G. R. Kellar and Mrs. J. R. Pauling.
Carrollton Democrat—E. G. Smith and wife.
Carrollton Republican—Miss Hallie Masterson and Miss Mary Hampton.
Cloverport News—John D. Babbage and Ernest Babbage.
Cynthiana Democrat—Miss Sue Patterson and Miss Wallace Montague.
Cynthiana Times—Mrs. Carl Musser.
Calhoun Star—D. H. Kinchloe.
Danville Standard—G. M. McClure and wife.
Danville News—E. W. Lillard, wife and daughter.
Eddyville Tale of Two Cities—S. N. Leonard and Mrs. J. W. Campbell.
Earlington Bee—Paul M. Moore and Miss Alice Bourland.
Elkton Progress—L. W. Gaines.
Ewing Inquirer—J. D. Wyatt and Miss Lattie Lee.
Flemingsburg Gazette—W. H. Wilt and Miss Mary P. Harbeson.
Falmouth Review—Clarence Brewer and W. B. Brewer.
Fulton Daily Leader—Mott Ayers and wife.
Fulton Weekly Leader—L. W. Boswell and wife.
Fulton American Baptist Flag—

Geo. Herbert and Miss Mary Boswell.
Louisville Daily Courier-Journal—John Buchanan, T. G. Watkins and wife.
Louisville Weekly Courier-Journal—T. D. Osborne, wife and Miss Charlotte Osborne.
Louisville Times—R. W. Brown.
Louisville Post—Miss Annie Carr and Mrs. S. D. Shelton.
Louisville Christian Observer—Harry Converse, Bernard Converse, Mrs. F. B. Converse and Miss Ellen Converse.
Louisville Live Stock Journal—S. S. English and wife.
Louisville Critic—Ben Lippold and wife.
Paris Kentuckian-Citizen—Bruce Miller and wife and J. G. Craddock.
Paris News—Swift Champ and wife.
Russellville Herald-Ledger—Percy Taylor and Miss Barbara Shacklett.
Scottsville Reflector—J. S. Lewis and wife.
Scottsville Times—Sam Maxey and wife and Miss Effie Carpenter.
Stardust Democrat—J. F. Waters.
Smith's Grove Times—John F. Cooke and Miss Jessie Roberts.
Warsaw Independent—D. R. and J. B. Wallace.
Williamstown Courier—J. H. Westover, wife and children.
Taylorville Courier—Law B. Brown and wife and C. E. Alecock.
Falmouth Pentadenton—G. F. Henry and wife.
Glasgow Times—L. E. Williams.
Glasgow Republican—W. H. Jones.
Miss Jones and Miss Clara Taylor.
Greenville Record—Orion L. Rorark and W. C. Jenson.
Louisville Commercial—Richard and Corinne Dietzman.
Louisville Masonic Home Journal—S. D. Smith.
Lancaster Record—Louis Landman and wife.
Louisa News—M. F. Conley and Miss Lottie Conley.
Mt. Olive Times-Democrat—Mrs. Thuisa P. Zoller and Mrs. Kate Simms.
Mayfield Democrat—L. A. Chandler and wife.
Mayfield Monitor—B. F. Briggs and wife.
Millersburg Farmers' Friend—John A. Gorman and wife.
Morganfield Sun—Chas. F. Hart and Miss Mabel Hart.
Mt. Vernon Signal—E. S. Albright and R. G. Williams.
Hawesville Plaindealer—George C. Wilson.

Nicolaville Journal—Harry McCarty and Miss Elizabeth Young.
Owensboro Inquirer—W. Q. Adams and Jesse Adams.
Paducah Register—E. W. Whittemore.
Paducah News—Dow Wilcox and Harry Tandy.
Paducah Sun—D. S. Sanders and W. E. McFadden.
Paris Democrat—Frank Remington.
Paris Gazette—Miss Dora Hughes.
Hopkinsville Kentuckian—C. M. Meacham and wife.
Hodgenville Herald—C. C. Howard and wife.
Hartford Herald—Heber Mathews and son.
Henderson Journal—J. A. Lyne and Olive Young.

LISMAN ITEMS.

Rain, rain, plenty of rain, the farmers are laughing way down in their boots.
Earnest Brashear as at home now on a months vacation.
W. H. Dunnagan on the sick list this week.
C. M. Pyant and family are visiting in Crittenden Co., this week.
A big crowd turned out to the barbecue at Clay Saturday and reported a pleasant time.
The Lisman specials crossed bats with the Nebo cranks in an interesting game of ball Saturday evening, the score resulted 5 to 4 in favor of Lisman. The feature of the game was the nice work Earnest Brashear did on first base.
Thomas and Willie H. Rice returned from Chicago, Ill., Tuesday.
Cliff Fay of Rockport is visiting Charles M. Pyant this week.
Ask Jim Rice, did he get there Sunday.
Persons desiring to start a bank account should read the inducements offered by the Earlinton Bank, in the Rules and Regulations for savings depositors published in this issue of THE BEE.

Nebo Notes.

The rains descend and the farmer smiles a broad smile. So does the merchant. Even our loafers indulge in a sleek grin.

From the best information obtainable the tobacco crop is but a little damaged. Corn will make a fair crop; a much larger crop than usual being planted, will make nearly the same amount as usual. The best wheat and hay crop we ever had.

The Republicans are well pleased with the ticket nominated at Madisonville. The Democrats are not so well pleased. In talking with a prominent democrat he expressed great dissatisfaction and said he could select a ticket that would be a great deal easier defeated than the one nominated.

Brother Story filled his regular appointment at the Christian Church Saturday afternoon and Sunday.

McNary Hoffman spent last week at Sebree Springs and returned Saturday. He reports a good time.

Miss Ritchie Key left Sunday for Dawson to begin school. She will be absent several months.

Mrs. Jackson and mother visited at Stanhope Saturday night, returning Sunday.

On last Sunday afternoon Mr. Noble Craig and Miss Given united their destinies for life. Rev. Story officiating. We wish them all the happiness possible.

A. E. Hill and family paid Nebo a flying visit Sunday. Miss Pat Fike accompanied them home and will remain several days.

Very few in town since the rains. We have recently been the recipient of two or three anonymous letters and we wish to say to the writers of them that a man that would write an abusive letter and fail to sign his name to it would steal the wax out of a dead dog's ears and use it for chewing gum—he would steal a bundle of fodder from an old blind sheep.

Some of our young bloods after exercising their muscle were called before his honor Judge Rutherford and fined two dollars and cost.

Hon. Thomas Finley paid Nebo a flying visit this week on legal business.

Miss Beesie Day is spending the week in Slaughter'sville.

Miss Emma Hill is on the sick list this week.

Quite a number of our people are attending the fair this week.

Cool wagons have started and our people are preparing for winter by laying in plentiful supplies of coal.

Albert Hill, of Brownwood, Texas, is visiting friends in this vicinity. He has been absent twenty-eight years.

RUSTRICKS.

The Maryland Democratic State Convention last week adopted a platform dealing entirely with State issues. The chief plank is the promise to eliminate the negro vote.

Look at your tongue. Is it coated?

Then you have a bad taste in your mouth every morning. Your appetite is poor, and food distresses you. You have frequent headaches and are often dizzy. Your stomach is weak and your bowels are always constipated.

There's an old and reliable cure:

Ayer's

Don't take a cathartic dose and then stop. Better take a laxative dose each night, just enough to cause one good firm movement of the food following.

You feel better the very next day. Your appetite returns, your headaches pass away, your tongue clears up, your liver acts well, and your bowels no longer give you trouble.

"Price, 25 cents. All druggists.

For sale, take Ayer's pills for 30 days, and I consider them made. One pill does not more good than half a box of any other kind."

Wm. T. Talbot, March 30, 1899. Arrington, Kans.

After a Three-Months' Voyage.

New York, Aug. 7.—The United States collier Brutus arrived yesterday from Manila, which port she left last April.

A BIG BULLION ROBBERY.

Two Hundred and Eighty Thousand Dollars in Gold Bars Made Off With.

NOT THE LEAST CLEW TO THE THIEVES.

A Tunnel Driven From the Shore of San Francisco Bay Under the Strong Room of the Selby Smelting Works at Vallejo—Bullion Carried Away in a Host.

San Francisco, Aug. 7.—The Selby Smelting and Lead Co. has been robbed of \$250,000 worth of gold bullion. The theft occurred some time Monday night, and was not discovered until morning. The thieves tunneled from outside the building under the vault at the Selby works, which are thirty miles from San Francisco. They got away with nearly twelve hundred pounds of fine gold, worth \$250,000, without leaving a trace of their identity behind. The robbery is the most successful and remarkable ever accomplished on the Pacific coast and was evidently the work of skilled mechanics. The whole affair was carefully planned and skillfully executed. It is supposed that when the robbers secured their loot they loaded it into a boat that was waiting and disappeared in the fog that had come over San Francisco Bay. In their haste to get away they left two gold bars worth nearly fifty thousand dollars lying on the bank at the water's edge. The police at all the bay cities were immediately notified of the crime, but all they could discover was a few of the tools that the thieves used.

The Selby Smelting and Lead Co. is the largest concern of its kind on the Pacific coast. Ores are sent from all over the western country to be smelted and refined and the gold is then turned over to the mint. A steamer makes special trips between the smelter and San Francisco, carrying the ores one way and bringing back the refined gold.

There were four fine gold bricks in the vault which the robbers looted. Each was ten inches long, five inches wide and four inches in height. They were all stamped with number, weight and fineness, and ran thus: No. 1,234 containing 1,190.37 ounces; No. 1,235 containing 1,127.43 ounces; No. 1,236 containing 1,222.22 ounces; No. 1,237 containing 1,073.79 ounces. All of these bricks were 998 fine, and worth \$250,000 gold. In addition to this there were rods from the vault bullion gold in all shapes and sizes, and some of it in bars of different lengths.

JUDGE WILLIAM CECIL PRICE.

Death of the Man Who Was United States Treasurer Under President Buchanan.

Chicago, Aug. 7.—Judge William Cecil Price, former United States treasurer under President Buchanan, died here at the home of his son-in-law, Wm. S. Newberry, aged 85 years.

Judge Price settled in Springfield, Mo., in the early thirties. An ardent believer in slavery, he became prominent in the ranks of the democratic party and when Buchanan was elected he was given the keys of the treasury.

When Buchanan ordered Maj. Anderson to reinforce Ft. Sumter Judge Price believed the south was being betrayed, and resigned his office in anger.

He was with Gen. Price at the battle of Pea Ridge and was captured by the federals and confined in the prison of Alton, Ill., until September, 1862, when he was exchanged.

Judge Price had been in ill health for some time, owing to his advanced age, and the end was not unexpected. The body will be taken to Madison, Wis., for interment.

LAWLESSNESS AT LAWTON.

Two Men Murdered, One Seriously Injured and Much Highway Robbery Reported.

Lawton, Okla., Aug. 7.—Two men killed by highwaymen, one seriously wounded, \$1,600 in money and nine watches taken, is the criminal record of the Lawton district for 14 hours.

Irwin Rogers, of May county, Okla., was shot and killed instantly by one of three men who Monday night attempted to hold up a party on a mile south of the town site. All but Rogers ran, and the robbers thought he intended to fight.

Another gang of highwaymen robbed nine different prairie schooners near Rush Springs, Sunday night.

Saluted and Half-Masted Flags.

Berlin, Aug. 7.—The United States training ship Harriet was saluted by M. Hawley, joined with the German war ships at Kiel in saluting and half-masting flags when the announcement of the death of the lawgiver emperor was received here.

Bettering Conditions in India.

London, Aug. 7.—Lord Curzon of Kedleston, governor-general of India, telegraphs that the total rainfall in the inland districts is only half the normal fall, but that the crop prospects are fair.

After a Three-Months' Voyage.

New York, Aug. 7.—The United States collier Brutus arrived yesterday from Manila, which port she left last April.

OTHERWISE UNNOTICED.

Vice-President Roosevelt is hunting coyotes in Colorado.

Mrs. Cortes M. Devey died at Jacksonville, Ill. She was a pioneer.

Reuben Dadi, of Henrietta, Tex., was killed by his horse falling on him, crushing his skull.

P. B. Buckler, of Missouri, known as the "Celery King," is lying critically ill in a California hospital.

Archbishop Ireland discredits the story that he is to be made a cardinal, together with Archbishop Corrigan.

A new flour mill is being built at Temple, Tex., to cost \$40,000, and to have a capacity of 200 barrels daily.

Gov. Davis of Arkansas commuted the sentence of Junius Kershaw, convicted of arson, from five years to one.

Nathan T. Veatch, of Rushville, Ill., has been employed as superintendent of the public schools of Madison, Kas.

Officers of Mount Vernon, Ill., have inaugurated a war on illegal liquor traffic. Several arrests have been made.

Samuel Magee, aged 73, was drowned in a boating accident on the Texas. He was a substantial stock grower.

The Illinois state board of railway commissioners will prohibit all roads from hereafter constructing crossings at grades.

Mrs. F. C. Miller, wife of the chief engineer of the middle division of the Chicago & Alton railway, died at Springfield, Ill.

Another portion of Texas' cotton-growing district has had heavy rains. More is needed to insure a normal crop of cotton.

Acting Mayor F. J. Ginocchio of Little Rock, Ark., has instructed Chief of Police McMahon to close all pool rooms in the city.

Bob Parth, of Little Rock, Ark., refuses to close his gambling house on the mayor's order, and says he will turn the case in to the courts.

Railroad detectives have arrested J. Spangler, who is charged with the attempt to wreck an Illinois Central train by tying rails on the track.

Thomas R. Ericsonbrack, an attorney of Annapolis, Md., died suddenly of apoplexy, at Dubuque, where he had gone on legal business. He was 68 years old.

Ex-King King Phillips hopes to resume business within the next few days. He has started collectors out from \$100,000, which he claims is due from customers.

Under the banking law passed by the last congress a decided impetus was given to the organization of national banks. The act leads in number of new institutions.

During services at the country church near Anderson, Tex., George Clayton shot and fatally wounded John Cox. A bystander was also wounded. Family troubles.

A terrific explosion in a block of six buildings on Locust street, Philadelphia, Monday night, completely wrecked five of the structures and caused the death of from ten to twenty or more persons, and the injury of a large number.

A Glut of Salmon.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 4.—Such a run of salmon has not been seen for years as is now in the lower Columbia. Packerhouses and cold storages are glutted with fish and have temporarily refused to receive salmon from the gill-nets.

The Daily Estate Inheritance Tax.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 7.—State Treasurer A. H. Barrett yesterday received \$50,221 inheritance tax on the estate of the late Marcus Daly. The total tax for the estate was \$53,702, 60 per cent going to the state and he remainder to counties.

Modern Woodmen's Finances.

Rock Island, Ill., Aug. 5.—Retiring Head Banker F. R. Croker of the Modern Woodmen of America turned over to his successor, R. S. Smith, yesterday, \$1,083,564.44, the present funds of the order.

Crisis Spreading in Germany.

Berlin, Aug. 7.—Yesterday's dispatches from various parts of Germany show that the financial and industrial crisis is spreading.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Aug. 7.

CATTLE—Native Steers... 3 40 @ 5 75

FLLOUR—Winter Wheat... 3 50 @ 3 90

WHEAT—No. 2 Red... 60 1/2 @ 71 1/2

CORN—No. 2... 60 1/2 @ 61 1/2

OATS—No. 2... 15 1/2 @ 16 1/2

PORK—Mess New LOUIS... 12 50 @ 13 00

COTTON—Midland... 12 1/2 @ 13 1/2

BEANS—Cows and Hotters... 2 1/2 @ 3 1/2

CALVES—Cows and Hotters... 2 1/2 @ 3 1/2

HOGS—Pair to Choice... 4 00 @ 4 20

FLLOUR—Patents... 3 50 @ 3 90

Other Grades... 3 40 @ 3 80

WHEAT—No. 2 Red... 60 1/2 @ 71 1/2

OATS—No. 2... 15 1/2 @ 16 1/2

CORN—No. 2... 60 1/2 @ 61 1/2

PORK—Standard Mess... 12 50 @ 13 00

COTTON—Midland... 12 1/2 @ 13 1/2

WHEAT—No. 2 Red... 60 1/2 @ 71 1/2

OATS—No. 2... 15 1/2 @ 16 1/2

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A TERRIFIC EXPLOSION.

A Block of Six Buildings in Philadelphia in Ruins as the Result of an Explosion.

UPWARDS OF TWENTY PERSONS KILLED.

Over Two Score Others More or Less Seriously Injured—The Fatal Took Five Minutes to Burn—Firemen Rescued by Firemen and Others.

Philadelphia, Aug. 6.—A terrific explosion in a block of six buildings on Locust street, above Third, last night completely wrecked five of the structures and caused the death of from ten to twenty or more persons. Over two score others were more or less seriously injured. Some of those taken to the hospital will die. It is estimated that at least thirty-five persons were in the six buildings when the explosion occurred, and the exact number of dead will probably not be known for 24 hours.

The explosion occurred about 9:30 o'clock. What exploded and how it happened is not known at this time, but it is believed to have been a barrel of gasoline in one of the three grocery stores. With the explosion of No. 105, the front walls of the building were blown outward into the street, while the floors and roofs were blown upward and fell straight to the ground.

Almost every building in a radius of two blocks about the scene of the explosion had windowpanes shattered and otherwise damaged. Every building was blown outward into the street, while the floors and roofs were blown upward and fell straight to the ground.

Many of the victims went up from the ruins the moment the explosion occurred. Women, children and men, occupants of the wrecked houses, were seen jumping out of the debris, while the agonizing cries of others were heard in the wreckage.

From all the surrounding buildings injured people came running and fell in the street unconscious.

To add to the horror, fire broke out in the debris the moment it settled to the ground and in less than five minutes the great pile was burning fiercely from end to end. A general panic was turned on by the fire apparatus and ambulances, and in the meantime the work of rescue was vigorously begun by those in the neighborhood who were not injured. Here and there a person was dragged from the ruins before the fire could reach the victim, several lives being saved by this prompt work.

When the firemen reached the scene the flames had made great headway and were igniting the buildings across the street. The fire, however, was soon under control, and with the exception of a small blaze here and there was extinguished in a few minutes.

The work of digging away the ruins was then begun in earnest. Near the edge of the debris several children were taken out and sent to the hospitals.

While the firemen and policemen were digging in the debris and hauling away heavy timbers in several sections of the wreckage, cries were heard coming from the cellar of Mountain's grocery store. Fifty men, with ropes and tackle, were immediately put to work at that point, and pulled away the roofing and flooring which had fallen into a massed heap. From the bottom of the pile, doubled up, were taken a man and a woman.

The woman was so severely injured that she was apparently dead.

While the work of rescue was going on in the exploded block, hospital attendants and others made a search of all the damaged houses on the opposite side of the street, and almost a score of persons were taken to various hospitals from these places.

THE DEED OF AN IDLE BOY.

Sets Fire to Kansas City Old Exposition Building, Which is Totally Destroyed.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 6.—Exposition building, erected during the boom of 1897, at a cost of over two hundred thousand dollars, was destroyed by fire in less than two hours' time yesterday afternoon. The fire started shortly after one o'clock within ten feet of the spot where Patrick Gilmore stood when he directed his famous band at the exercises dedicating the building 14 years ago.

A boy, among a crowd which had gathered to watch a large circus that had pitched its tents across the street, set fire, in a spirit of mischief, to some loose rubbish on the floor. In a moment the flames leaped beyond control, spreading almost instantaneously throughout the whole building which occupied half a block square. The dry woodwork and piles of lumber that had been torn from time to time and stacked in different parts of the building, burned like tinder, and soon the whole structure was a roaring furnace.

After "Fighting Bully" Soap.

Washington, Aug. 4.—Ex-Secretary of the Navy Chandler is after Rear Admiral Robert D. Evans' scalp on account of certain matter, reflecting on him, in "The Last of a Sailor," recently published by Admiral Evans.

Englishmen Have Little Hope.

New York, Aug. 6.—According to Foxhall Keene, who returned from Europe on the Celtic, English yachtsmen have little hope that Shamrock II will "lift the cup."

Injunction Against Miners Made Perpetual.

Charleston, W. Va., July 23.—Judge Jackson of the U. S. Court, to-day heard the contempt proceedings against the miners from Thacker, growing out of the recent strike in the coal mines there. The contempt case for violation of injunction was dismissed, the injunction was made perpetual, and the men were put under bond to answer any indictment that may be found by the grand jury at Huntington for the shooting that occurred during the trouble at the mines.

Huckleberry Ridge News.

The farmers of this vicinity are very much encouraged since the rain. It is but another evidence that God will not forget us.

Reuben Crier and wife, of Muhlenberg county, were the guests of W. C. Lyell Sunday.

Miss Meredith Bennett attended the ice-cream supper at Crofton Saturday night and spent Sunday at Empire.

John Bennett and wife are visiting the family of A. J. Cash.

James Weleh and wife are visiting their daughter near Hopkinsville.

Mrs. W. C. Lyell spent Tuesday with the family of John Bennett.

Edgar Lyell was the guest of his parents Saturday.

George Berry returned from Todd county Saturday quite ill with slow fever.

Mrs. Bradley Croft is improving after a severe illness of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Manda Lyell and Mrs. Jennie Bennett will visit in St. Charles this week.

Mrs. J. H. Denton and mother visited near Crofton Sunday.

U. No. Hoo, huckleberrys will soon be ripe and when you call for pie don't forget to fill your pockets with flour.

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Dr. Llewellyn Jordan, Medical Examiner of the State of Missouri, graduate of Columbia College, and who served three years at West Point, has the following to say of Peruna:

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 8, 1901.

In the hurry and bustle of every day life in the mad, eager rush for wealth and fame, if men would sometimes stop for a breathing spell and take time to look around them on the beauties of nature, pause by the clear, running stream or wander beneath the shady trees of the vernal forest, inhaling the delicate perfume that exudes from every wild flower, and give the mind and brain a rest; or gaze on some mighty mountain that raises its bold and blackened peak to heaven and ponder on the mysteries of nature this world would be a better place. If the human race would strive only half as earnestly after spiritual things and the welfare of their immortal soul as they do after wealth and power and fleeting fame, there would be millions of happy homes and smiling faces where today want and misery habitate in wretched hovels, where sin breeds and crime is not ashamed.

The legitimate pursuit of wealth in a sufficient quantity to supply all of the necessities and some of the luxuries or life is commendable and right, but the hoarding, grasping, miserly man who unceasingly grinds the faces of the poor to add to his own vast store is an emissary of the devil. Whenever the people awaken to the fact that there are other things to strive for besides wealth and power, and make an ordinary effort to do their duty to God and their fellow man, this world will be a veritable Garden of Eden.

The Policy of President Shaffer.

Having declared that the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers would act within the law while on strike, President SHAFER's followers thus proceed.

At Wellsville, Ohio, at 9 o'clock Tuesday night the union men of the place heard that the two non-union "rollers" were coming.

Twelve o'clock found Vice-President JOHN CHAPPELLE and eighteen others ambushed on the roadside half a mile from town. The Devil of Homestead was doubtless by their side, for any sane man knows that if they could have stopped the vehicle with the two rollers, they would have sent those rollers home or stretched them in the ditch. Later one striker said: "Those men will get out of town peaceably or we'll run them out."

The right of those particular men to stay in Wellsville and work there, and the right of any employer to free access to them in order to obtain their services are at the foundation of common liberty and the law of the land. Those who assail it deserve to feel the law's heaviest hand and the public's uncompromising condemnation.—N. Y. Sun.

Bloody Fight in Clay County.

London, Ky., Aug. 6.—Of the reports received here today from Clay county of another bloody battle, the most reliable is to the effect that a party of about thirty men, nearly equally divided engaged in a fight on Tan Yard branch Saturday. It is said the Stapletons and Hamptons were on one side and the Benges on the other. The trouble had been expected, it is said, and both parties were armed with Winchester and shotguns.

The Old Man of the Mountain.

BY "TIMMIE."

When I was young;
Ah! happy when—
Time has made changes—
Twist now and then—

FAR down the dim vistas of the long gone past, when I was a freckled faced, unsuspecting youth, I was undoubtedly the worst boy then in existence. On Sunday mornings after having my face washed and the tangles combed out of my curly locks, instead of going to Sunday-school as I should have done, two or three of us congenial spirits would sneak off to Obion river and spend the day in fishing, bathing and boat riding. On one of these occasions after we had eaten the cold biscuits and other things we had been able to steal from home while mother wasn't looking, we concluded to explore the little river to its head waters. We got the old boat headed up stream and toiled for four or five hours with push poles and paddles and had traveled some ten or twelve miles. The scenery was magnificent—on one side the green hills rose one above the other as far as the eye could see, while on the other hand the dark Tennessee forest stretched away in the distance. The banks of the small stream were so near each other the overhanging boughs lapped and twined together. Night was approaching and we turned our boat and headed for home. We had only gone a short distance before the boat struck a rock and the water gushed through the crack and in a few minutes the boat sank. We were in an awful fix, not one of us over fifteen years old. Night was upon us and we were fully twenty miles from home in a strange place and not a house in sight. We held a council and decided to search for a farm house where we could stay all night, feeling sure we could easily find our way home the next day. We concluded to try on the hill side of the river as it looked more promising and forthwith we climbed the first line of low-lying mounds. These hills are covered with low scrubby trees and in some places, probably hundreds of years ago, nature had opened wide fissures and vast caverns in the solid rock and thrown up high mounds in fantastic shapes. We wandered on away from the river and in the direction of the setting sun until it was so dark we could scarcely see, stumbling over the rocks and fallen trees. We were about to give up in despair; we were hungry, foot-sore and tired. As we thought of mother and our home all lighted up looking so pleasant and cheerful, with a nice hot supper steaming on the table ready to be eaten, our hearts failed within us and the youngest of the party began to sob and cry. We heard the sound of dry brush breaking on our left as if some heavy body was passing over it and in a few seconds a tall gaunt form loomed on our terrified vision. "What do you boys want out here this time of night and how did you get here anyway," said the stranger in a rough voice. We told him our misfortunes and hardships in faltering voices and asked him if we could not go home with him and stay until morning. He seemed to be in a deep study for a minute and then said: "If you three boys will swear never to tell where you spent the night and never mention seeing anyone in these hills for fifteen years I will take you to a cave where I live and keep you tonight, but you must all promise me you will keep silent for fifteen years and then you are at liberty to tell what you know." We all promised and the tall form strode off in the darkness and we followed close at his heels. We soon came

to a halt at the mouth of a large cave and our guide soon had a bright fire going inside and cooked us a supper of green corn and a rabbit all stewed up in a pot together, and I have never eaten anything since that tasted any better. By the firelight we could see our host was an old man with white hair and a long flowing white beard; his clothes were made of skins of wild animals and his weapon was an old-fashioned smooth-bore rifle. Before we left the next morning he said to us: "Now, boys, I have done you a favor and I want you to remember your promise and keep it. I am hiding from the face of my fellow men. I have been hunted and pursued like a wild beast for three years for a crime I never committed and this is all the home I have. Don't betray me and some day when you boys are grown up and have little children you may tell them of the night you spent in this wild, lonely spot with The Old Man of the Mountain."

SPLENDID PLUCK.

An Elevator Boy Saved Twenty Lives in Twenty Minutes.

William H. Platt, an elevator-boy of Philadelphia, has earned distinction by his bravery in the performance of duty in a time of great peril.

On May 4, 1901, at ten minutes past eleven in the forenoon, he noticed a crack in the side wall of the five-story office building at 18 South Broad Street, which had been undermined by excavations. He promptly notified the trustee of the endangered property, who at once consulted the foreman of the gang of excavating laborers.

"No danger," returned the foreman.

But the trustee was not satisfied, and notified the chief of the City Bureau of Building Inspection. Then, says the Philadelphia Press, the trustee and the elevator boy visited each of the tenants, twenty in number, and warned them that the building was unsafe. Five minutes later there came a crash. The bulk window on the first floor had fallen streetward.

"Run for your lives!" shouted Platt, and in a second the elevator was full of people.

"I'll come up again for you!" he cried, reassuringly, to those who were left, and the car shot downward.

Twice more he made the ascent and brought people down. Then just as he again started upward, a big crash came. The building had collapsed. The boy never faltered. The elevator-shaft was independent of the main building, and he pushed the lever to the left, and the car shot toward the fourth floor.

Three women and a man were there, and Platt helped them into the elevator. Bricks and mortar were falling about them, and the car in its descent at express speed swayed frightfully from side to side. As it passed the second story a big piece of timber struck it with shattering force, but glanced off. Not one of its occupants thought to reach the ground alive, but the car landed with a thump in the basement, and they made their way to the street, faint from excitement and terror, but absolutely unhurt.

At half past eleven, just twenty minutes after Platt had seen the danger, the building collapsed. In that brief period he had saved twenty lives.

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THE HAUNTED MILL.

In a silent spot at the foot of a hill, On Obion River stands a haunted mill;

The wheel is silent and fallen down And the water lilies grow thick around.

Where once ran the old mill road, And wagons stopped to get their load.

Tradition says long years ago, This mill was owned by John Monroe.

Who in the heat of passion thrust a knife, Into the heart of a faithless wife,

Dragged her to the water and threw her in, Thinking no one knew of the awful sin.

Not long ago it was my fate, To pass this mill one night very late;

A storm came on and against my will, I sought shelter in the haunted mill.

The bats and owls which had gone in before, Hooted and laughed as I entered the door.

I had scarcely entered the gruesome place, When a monster bat flew full in my face;

A ghostly form before me stood, That chilled the flow of my young blood;

Then this phantom spirit said: "Why are you here alone with the dead?"

I could not speak my tongue and I was once the wife of John Monroe.

Were parched and dry as a summer drouth; The form approached and bending near,

Whispered in my frightened ear; I was once the wife of John Monroe.

And was murdered here long years ago. Leave this place, go where you will,

Come not again to the haunted mill; A restless spirit wanders here,

Banished from the world so dear; By a demon with form of man, By a husband's cruel hand."

It is needless to add that I left. TIMMIE.

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TOBACCO SPT and SMOKE Your Life away! You can be cured of any form of tobacco using easily, be made well, strong, energetic, and that makes weak men strong. Buy and use the "Cure" at once. It is the only cure. All druggists. Cure guaranteed. REMEDY CO., Chicago or New York.

The Kentucky editors are now "doing" the little city of Madisonville over in Hopkins county. They will present their best shirt front for two days, after which some of the press gang take an outing to the far far west. Business engagements keep the editor of the Progress at home.—Elkton Progress.

Mr. Daniel Bantz, Ottoville, Ia., says: "Have had asthma and a very bad cough for years, but could get no relief from the doctors and medicines I tried, until I took Foley's Honey and Tar. It gave immediate relief and did me more good than all other remedies combined." Jno. X. Taylor.

Murderers and gamblers have been holding high carnival in Lawton, O. T., and the people of the new city have taken active measures to suppress lawlessness.

Look out for malaria. It is seasonable now. A few doses of PRICKLY ASH BRYER is a sure preventative. St. Bernard Drug Store.

Gov. Beckham Will Attend the Conclave at Louisville.

Gov. J. C. W. Beckham has accepted an invitation to attend the Triennial Conclave at Louisville the last week in this month. The chief executive was recently knighted in Marion Commandery at Lebanon, Ky. One of the most unique features connected with this conclave will be the visit of one of the commanderies of Atlanta, Ga. Almost all of the Sir Knights are members of the Atlanta fire department. They will bring with them a drum corps composed of sons of firemen. This same drum corps was in Louisville during the Confederate Revolution and was greeted everywhere with applause.

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SHORT LOCALS.

Ford Timmons returned Monday from a ten days visit to Ontario and is back at work on the farm.

Mr. J. O. Neal of Ontario is at work with foreman W. A. Tombs on the tip at Barnsley. He contemplates moving his family to Earlington, in a month or so.

The Epworth League will hold its literary meeting with Miss Virginia Rule at her residence Monday night week and the study will be John Greenleaf Whittier. A pleasant time is anticipated.

A game of baseball was played Tuesday at Madisonville between Earlington Second Nine and Madisonville Second Nine. Score stood 3 to 1 in favor of Madisonville. Nine innings were played.

Dr. W. J. Lamb, of Nebo, who went to New York a few months ago has recently been appointed home surgeon of the New York Ophthalmic Hospital for a short term. His Hopkins county friends are glad to hear of his good fortune.

Miss Orr, of Morgantown, the district secretary of the Woman's Missionary Society, of the Henderson district, will be in Earlington next Monday and on that evening will give a short address at the M. E. Church, South. It is her intention to organize a society at this place, and requests all the members of the church to be present.

Two of the Kentucky editors were overheard to say: "The people of Earlington certainly know how to treat one clever. All of them look and act like they are so glad to see us, and I believe they are." These gentlemen were correcting their belief Earlington welcomed them with open arms and did all they could to make them have a good time. There is no hypocrisy about the people of Earlington—if they like you they show it by their acts, and if they don't like you they do likewise.

Discussing road building in Harlan county, the Elizabethtown News says: "Commissioner Brown has made the finest piece of pike in Harlan county. The rock used is the best blue limestone. It was donated by the L. & N. and nearly all the hauling was done gratis by the farmers living along the road, as they have found out what a good road is and do not want to lose it by neglect. The rock was put on the road very thick where it was needed and rolled by a heavy roller with eight miles attached. The roller is just the kind used by the government experts in building roads through Kentucky last month. Mr. Brown, in addition to repairing this pike of seven miles in his district, spent two hundred dollars in graveling the hill at Colesburg and has still some money left to help fill the gap on the Bardonia pike and some for the old L. & N. pike."

Program for C. E. Society.

MORTON GAP, Aug. 11.
Opening Song.
Prayer.
Song.
Lesson read by leader Annie Grasty, subject, Enemies and Arms. Eph. 6: 10-13.
Roll call and responsive reading.
Select reading, Miss Clara Grasty.
Music, Miss Katie Kingston. The Livingstone up the River.
Recitation, Miss Powell.
Quartette, Mrs. Steele, soprano, Dr. Williams, tenor, John Nebo, bass, Clara Grasty, alto.
Leader for next meeting, Miss Ethel Courtney, subject God's Requirements, Deut. 10: 12-14.
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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease it requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Jesse James, Jr., son of the noted bandit of that name, will engage in the pawnbroker's business in Kansas City. The young man has made a fortune in the last few years in the cigar business.

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"I had a severe attack of bilious colic, got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, took two doses and was enabled to cure myself," says Rev. A. A. Fowles, of Emporia, Kan. "My neighbor across the street was sick for over a week had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He used them for three or four days without relief, then called in another doctor who treated him for some days and gave him no relief, so he came to me. I gave him one bottle and he was cured the next morning. He said his bowels were in a terrible fix, that they had been running off so long that it was almost bloody flux. I asked him if he had tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and he said, 'No.' I went home and brought him my bottle and gave him one dose, and he told me to take another dose in fifteen or twenty minutes if he did not find relief, but he took no more and was entirely cured." For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington, Geo. King, St. Charles; Ben T. Robinson, Morgantown.

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Mrs. J. Will Robinson.

The National Mine Worker's Federation of France proposes a general strike November 1st unless the miners are granted an eight hour day.

Does it Pay to Buy Cheap?

A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but to want something that will relieve and cure the more severe and dangerous results of throat and lung troubles. What shall you do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate? Yes, if possible. But not possible for you, then in other cases take the only remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with such a severe throat and lung troubles. "Boecher's German Syrup." It not only treats and stimulates the tissues to destroy the germ disease, but allays inflammation, causes easy expectoration, gives a good night's rest and cures the patient. Try one bottle. Recommended many years by all druggists in the world. Get Green's Prize Almanac. St. Bernard Drug Store.

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When you ask for Cascarets Candy Cathartic be sure you get them. Genuine tablets stamped C. C. Never sold in bulk. A substitute is always a cheat and a fraud. Beware! All druggists, roc.

The South furnished \$513,000,000 of the domestic merchandise exported during the fiscal year, out of a total of \$1,490,552,286.

C. H. Brown

This signature is on every box of the genuine laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. The name that cures a cold in one day.

Among the homeseekers who registered in El Reno, O. T., was Soles Jerry Simpson, the former Populist Kansas Congressman.

"My baby was terribly sick with the diarrhoea," says J. H. Doak, of Williams, Oregon. "We were unable to cure him with the doctor's assistance, and as a last resort we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I am happy to say it gave immediate relief and a complete cure." For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington, Geo. King, St. Charles; Ben T. Robinson, Morgantown.

Potatoes should be eschewed by those who "have a horror of getting fat," as that is one penalty of eating them.

Would Have Cost Him His Life.

Oscar Bowman, Lebanon, Ky., writes: "I have been using Foley's Kidney Cure and take great pleasure in stating it gave me permanent cure of kidney diseases which certainly would have cost me my life and my money." For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington, Geo. King, St. Charles; Ben T. Robinson, Morgantown.

Senator Stewart, of Nevada, no longer considers free silver an issue. He also believes Senator Hanna will be a presidential possibility in 1904.

Keep your vital organs in good condition if you would have health throughout the annual seasons. Pringle's Ash Bitters cleanses and strengthens the stomach liver and bowels and helps the system to resist disease germs. St. Bernard Drugstore.

Attention is called to the Rules and Regulations for the Savings Department of the Earlington Bank, published in this issue of THE BEE.

For Whooping Cough.

"Both my children were taken with whooping cough," writes Mrs. O. E. Dutton, of Danville, Ill. "A small bottle of Foley's Kidney Cure cured them, and saved me a doctor's bill." John X. Taylor.

It is far more heroic to suffer great misfortunes in silence than it is to accomplish great things to a bass drum accompaniment.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Groves' signature is on each box, 50c.

John Wood, of Weatherford, O. T., who drew No. 1 in the Oklahoma lottery, has selected a claim worth \$20,000.

A. H. Davis, Mt. Sterling, Ia., writes: "I was troubled with kidney complaint for about two years, but two one dollar bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure effected a permanent cure. John X. Taylor.

An official statement was made in Parliament that the cost of the Boer war was in excess of \$6,000,000 per week.

We pay \$20 per week and expenses for men or women with rigs to introduce our Poultry Mixture and Insect Destroyer in the country. Address, EXCELSIOR FOOD CO., Parsons, Kan.

A \$4,000,000 ship-building plant is to be established at an Alabama port on Mobile Bay. Employment will be given to 3,000 men.

High living, temperance, exposure and many other things bring on Bright's disease. Foley's Kidney Cure will prevent Bright's disease and all other kidney or bladder disorders if taken in time. Be sure to take Foley's Kidney Cure.

Ordinary Lima beans, some one has said are good to eat, but the same can be said, with equal truth, of a pitcher of water.

Iron Hill News.

The farmers enjoyed a slow, general rain today.

The iron bridge at this place has been rebuilt.

Charles Clift and Will Riley, of Bordlev, are visiting here.

Rufus Elder became overheated last week and was very sick for several days.

A. J. Sutton, of Shady Grove, visited his father here Sunday.

Carl Boucher, formerly postmaster at Starr, is agent and collector for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. at Marion.

A fine quality of spar has been discovered on the farm of W. H. Travis.

Rev. W. R. Gibbs and Rev. U. G. Hughes will begin a series of meetings at Baker schoolhouse Sunday.

Joe D. Tudor, who is in the Philippines Islands, writes back that his term has expired and that he is getting \$75 per month working for Uncle Sam.

J. B. Hubbard returned from Dawson Hubbard, whistling like a lark after his week's vacation.

George Thomas, of Louisville, and Paxton Thomas, of Memphis, are guests of their mother, Mrs. Carrie Thomas at Marion.

Ollie James returned from Atlantic City.

Mrs. Tidwell, a well known old lady of the Piney neighborhood, died Wednesday and Thursday. She was seventy-two years old and lived with her son-in-law, Richard Gass.

J. H. Moore has sold 600 bushels of corn to be delivered at his farm, the Carter place at gathering time at 40 cents per bushel. He has also contracted sixty tons of pea hay at 40 cents a hundred, to be delivered at Marion.

"Will Wallace is arranging his business to go to Missouri. Mr. Wallace is a fine man and will be missed by the people of this community."

Joe Vinson has returned from Earlington and Lamasco where he has been visiting relatives.

During services at the church at Mounds a few nights ago rocks and other missiles were thrown against the house greatly disturbing the worshippers. Such serves the severest punishment and no pains should be spared in an effort to discover the miscreants.

Jas. Carroll came over from Webster county Monday to answer the charge of breaking the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth, but was duly acquitted of the charge.

Mrs. Wren and daughters, of Mineral Point, Wis., are here and will remain some time.

Henry Murry was the guest of J. N. Roberts Monday.

Ed Gray returned to Slaughterville, Sunday, where he has charge of a tobacco factory.

There is some talk of moving the Crooked Creek Baptist church to a point on the public road some two miles north of its present site.

Robert Enoch was sent in the hand Monday by discharging a weapon he thought was empty. The ball passed through his hand inflicting quite a painful injury. J. E. R.

Question Answered.

Yes, August Flower still has the largest sale of any medicine in the civilized world. Your mothers and grandmothers used it and saved me a doctor's bill." John X. Taylor.

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Though assured of the nomination, Mayor Taggart, of Indianapolis, has declined a fourth term.

To Heal a Hurt

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Letter List.

Miss Lillie Allen, Kannis Birnes, Bud Cunningham, Bada Dais, Mrs. Loney Gilmore, Emma Hughes, Mrs. Sallie Sarden, Larry Smith.

The British indignantly deny that Mrs. Paul Kruger was mistreated and "practically kept a prisoner," as has been charged.

Ruskin's Love Failure.

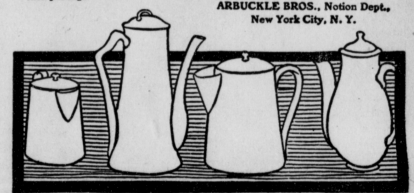
The story of two love failures are written out in the September number of the Delicatator. They tell of Ruskin's loveless life and also of the cheerless house of Fitzgerald, the Persian scholar. These two loves that failed are sketched by Clara E. Laughlin.

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WIT AND HUMOR.

"What's this dearest," said the young husband as he tried to bite into it.

"Why that's angel food cake, darling," said the fair creature on the opposite side of the table.

"Oh, is it? I thought perhaps it was marble cake, as I can't bite it."

Proud Parent—"I can tell you one thing, my dear, if Johnnie is anything like his father he will have good staying qualities."

His Wife—"He has them now; he would stay in bed till noon every day if I would let him."

A small girl was watching her mother milk the cow. She watched the proceedings in silence for a few moments and then she said, "Mamma, why side does the buttermilk come from?"

Not long since a lady was beating on a dish pan trying to give a swarm of bees. A child saw the bees settling on a tree near the lady and said: "Well, sir, that's the first time I ever heard any one call bees."

In the bright Lexicon of the Kentucky peach crop there is no such word as success.

Little Tommy was making his first visit to the country and in his play came in contact with a gander. Oh, said Tommie, look at the rubber-neck chicken.

Mother—"Get up Tommie to your breakfast; don't you know the early bird catches the worm?"

Tommy—"Yessum, but I don't eat worms."

Patient—"Doctor, I have so much trouble breathing with my lungs."

Doctor—"You would have a great deal more trouble breathing without them."

A. R. Bass, of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night and had severe backache and pains in the kidneys. Was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. It's guaranteed. John X. Taylor.

Died.

Uncle Charlie Woods, who has been a resident of Earlington for many years, passed over the silent river Tuesday evening at five o'clock. Uncle Charlie was a quiet, inoffensive man and had many friends here. His death was indirectly caused from inflammation of the bowels. The good people of Earlington expressed their warmest sympathy to his sisters, Mrs. Mary Woods, Mrs. J. T. Coenen and other relatives.

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HOME TEA GROWERS

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ING WITH THE CROP.

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The Overcoming of Former Difficulties May Enable the American Farmer to Supply the Home Market—The Cost of Production.

Can the United States of America grow the tea that is consumed here or must we rely forever upon China, Japan and Ceylon for "the cups that cheer, but not inebriate?" That is the

question that is just now interesting the agricultural department as well as a number of American capitalists. The former recently expressed its official opinion that land in the south is capa-

ble of producing tea under certain conditions. The latter are willing to spend many thousands of dollars in either proving or disproving the department's contention. The American tea market is a plum worth trying for since about

For about half a century intermittent attempts to grow tea in our south-

ern states have been made with varying success. The main difficulties in the path of the American tea raiser have been the lack of favorable climate and the cost of labor. The tea plant needs alternating wet and dry

plant needs alternating gentle showers and warm sunshine to develop perfectly the tender leaves. The climate of our southern states is too capricious to insure these essentials. Now, however, the advance in agricultural sci-

ence has supplied what may be called artificial conditions to the plants in the form of irrigation, high manuring and careful shading.

The question of labor is one that has

proved most serious to the American tea grower. Picking a pound of tea has cost him from five to eight times as much as it did his Asiatic competitor. Of course much of the work of prepar-



AMERICAN TEA PICKERS AT WORK.
 ing the leaves is done by ingenious American machinery, but the picking must be done by hand. A happy solution of the difficulty seems to have

been discovered. On a number of tea farms in the south the labor of negro children is now utilized. The work is neither difficult nor severe, and the pickaninnies make good tea pickers. They pick the tea before and after

It has been proved that a good grade of American tea can be grown and put on the market in bulk at a cost not ex-

ceeding 15 cents a pound. Under fair conditions an acre will yield 400 pounds of leaves. The cost of growing would thus be \$60 an acre. The tea should sell in bulk for at least 30 cents.

leaving a profit of 100 per cent. Allowance must be made, however, for other expenses, such as the salary of a superintendent and the interest of the money invested.

The agricultural department and planters are confident that they can supply this country with high grade tea. It seems fairly certain, however, that they will not compete with Asiatics in the poorer and cheaper kinds for

some time if ever. It is thought that with increasing wealth and intelligence American tea drinkers will demand only the best and will be willing to pay a higher price. In that event tea grow-



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ling in the United States will become decided success. The best tea can be furnished to Americans only from American gardens, as it will not be transportation to a distance.

American tea is entirely of Chinese and Japanese origin. It is doubtful that our southern states afford suitable localities for the growth of the Indian or Ceylonese varieties, since the climates differ so greatly. The tea plant unfortunately, grows best under climatic and soil conditions that are ruinous to the health of Europeans and Americans. The very conditions that make the best growth create the worst malarial disorders among people from temperate climates. "Fever and tea together" is an old saying.

Church Directory.
CHRISTIAN CHURCH.—Sunday school at 9:30. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evenings at 7:30. Regular services second and fourth Sunday morning and evening. Elder J. V. Mitchell, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH.—C. S. Jupia pastor. Services first Sundays at a. m. and at 7:00 p. m., and second Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

Sunday-school at 2:00 p. m.
M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.—B. 1
Currie, pastor. Services first and
Third Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7
p. m. Sunday-school at 9:30. Prayer
meeting, Tuesday evenings at 7
o'clock. Epworth League, every
Monday night. One meeting each
month will be the Literary meeting.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH.
Alex McChord, Pastor. Services
third Saturday night, Sunday and
Sunday night. Sunday-school at 9:30.

Prayer meeting, Monday evenings 7:30 o'clock.

Y. P. S. C. E.—Prayer meeting every Sunday evening at 6:30.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Rev. A. J. Coenen, pastor. First Mass, Sunday morning at 7 o'clock; Second Mass 9:30 o'clock. Afternoon service 2:30 every Sunday.

GENERAL BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. Jas. A. Burden, pastor. Services, third Saturday night, Sunday

and Sunday night in each month.
Sunday School every Sunday after
noon. Prayer meeting every Thurs-
day evening.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—HE-
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nights before; prayer meeting
Wednesday nights; Sunday school
each Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

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A Ministers Good Work.

"I had a severe attack of bilious colic, got a bottle of Chamberlain Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, took two doses and was entirely cured," says Rev. A. L. Power, of Emporia, Kan. "My neighbor across the street was sick for over a week, had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He used them for three or four days without relief, then called in another doctor who treated him for some days and gave him no relief, so did I charge him. I went over to see

him the next morning. He said his bowels were in a terrible fix, that they had been running off so long that it was almost bloody flux. I asked him if he had tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and he said, 'No.' I went home and brought him my bottle and gave him one dose; told him to take another dose in fifteen or twenty minutes if he did not find relief, but he took no more and was entirely cured." For sale by S. H. Harnsey, Jr., Druggist, Eastland, Miss.

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YANKEES IN EUROPE.

Military Engineers Got Pointers From American Showmen.

From Collier's Weekly.

When one of the big American shows first arrived in Europe, appearing now in the cities of England, now in those of Germany, Austria and Hungary, the phase of the American circus which most astonished military men was not so much in the show itself as the manner in which it was moved. Two or three incidents will serve to illustrate the curiosity with which the transportation department of the English and continental armies views the organization, discipline, and ingenuity shown in moving, without halt or hitch, such a large amount of property and so many persons.

While preparing to open at the Olympia, the Madison Square garden of London, the building department of that city told the owners of the Olympia that a new proscenium arch of steel must be built. This arch was to frame a stage at one side of the edifice and was 280 feet wide by 70 feet high. The material was brought into the building, and the arch was put together, bit by bit, flat on the ground.

When completed, the British workmen were confronted by the task of lifting the arch into position. After several futile attempts, the show proprietor said that if they would turn the job over to him he would raise the thing of steel. He then called to his 300 American workmen, and in three hours they had the arch in position and secure, using for the purpose only the circus paraphernalia which he had brought with him from America.

A London newspaper printed an editorial urging the government to detail one or two officers from the engineering corps of the army to travel with the circus and thus acquire knowledge that would be of practical use in moving military material. The government acted upon the advice, and throughout the tour several army officers were always present to witness the loading and unloading of cars, the transportation to and from the grounds and the erection of the tents.

The reigning monarch of one of the European nations himself came to the show incognito. He did not come to see the performance, but devoted the night to a personal inspection of circus operations, such as the taking

WISCONSIN'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION

down of tents, their movement to the train and their loading on the cars. He said that he regarded this as one of the most important object lessons in the movement of heavy material that he had ever witnessed and that he intended that officers in his army should familiarize themselves with it.—Collier's Weekly.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

(From Lippincott's Magazine.) Comparisons are odious, most particularly when they are accurate. It is hard for a man's pride to think that he has not enough brain to do more than attend to his own business.

It is easy enough to forgive when you are quite sure it is the most provoking thing you can do.

It is something to make people cry, more to make them laugh, most to make them think.

Preachers don't realize how much religion the pews need to make them patient with the pulpit.



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Moonlight Hayride.

A party of young people chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Cozart enjoyed a hay ride last Thursday night and had a high old time from the noise they made. Miss Wardina Stokes fell out the back end of the wagon, which frightened the crowd somewhat, but gave the boys a chance to show their gallantry. Charley Martin lost his hat and went back a mile or so, to look for it, while some of the girls sang "Good-bye my lover, good-bye."

The jolly party took in Madisonville, and paid Long's ice-cream parlor a visit where refreshments were served, and 'tis needless to say that Walter and his pies will not be very soon forgotten. Those who composed the party were, Misses Nanie, Effie and Werdina Stokes, Inez and Lella Dean, Anna and Nannie Ashby, Messrs. Charles Martin, Elmer Witherspoon, Frank Seales, Frank Orr and Ollie Toy.

How Are Your Kidneys? Dr. Hober says the little ever-acting kidney pills help. Add: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N.Y.

Paranips, it is now contended by scientists, possess almost the same virtues that are claimed for sarnapilla.

BORDLEY ITEMS.

At last refreshing showers have drenched the dry earth and the farmer's gratitude may be measured by the smile he wears. The pessimistic views that have grown up in the last few days relative to the crop situation have been dispelled and optimistic views are taken instead.

A movement is on foot to remove the cannon thrown into Geiger's Lake by the Confederates during the battle at the lake where the well known wound of Col. Shackelford in the heel was received. About 600 guns were also thrown into the lake. The cannon will be used for museum purposes.

Parties in Union and Webster interested in the Tyson estate have been notified of the meeting of the heirs at Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 13, for the purpose of arranging for the distribution of the vast fortune left by John Tyson, who died two years ago leaving an estate which recent developments have proved to be over \$50,000,000.

The Webster County Teachers Institute met in convention at Dixon Monday.

The DeKoven Base Ball Club crossed bats with the Paducah club on the 4th, inst.

Mrs. Roma, of St. Louis, is visiting near Morganfield.

Andrew Carnegie's proposed contribution of \$25,000 to Henderson for a free library has caused Union County people to wish for a donation from the man who says, "It is a sin and disgrace to die rich."

Miss Lou Ella Martin, of Louisville, is visiting at Sturgis this week.

Henry Artman who operates a coal mine near Sullivan, has recently built a stock house that holds several thousand bushels of coal which is adequate to supply the local demand.

Henry Lynn, wife and son of Hanson, who have been visiting in this community, returned home today.

John Blackwell, of Hearn, who has been seriously ill of typhoid fever, is convalescent.

Work on Kentucky Western from Lisman to Providence has been greatly improved by recent rains and cooler weather.

Prof. W. B. Davis, of the O. V. College, has just returned from the Hopkins County Teachers Institute at Madisonville.

The trial of P. Arnold at Morganfield, Saturday, resulted in \$150 fine and costs.

The barbecue at Clay, Saturday, was a grand success. The number of people that attended is variously estimated at from three to four thousand.

A ticket has been nominated in opposition to the regular Democratic ticket in Union County. The candidates are very popular and will no doubt poll a large vote.

The camp meeting at Sebree has been more largely attended this time than for several years.

There will be a display of fireworks at Sturgis Saturday night. It was

originally intended that the exhibition should come off on the night of July 4th, but rain prevented it. The proceeds will go for the benefit of the U. V. College which is very badly in debt.

Plowing for wheat has commenced. A large acreage no doubt will be sown the coming season.

Mrs. Brooks Davis, who has been ill of typhoid fever, is convalescent.

The Iron Hill correspondent of THE BEE, who has been visiting in this community, returned home Sunday.

Several are attending the Hopkins Fair this week. Sam Sturgis has four race horses on the track.

Work on the new drainage canal has been greatly improved by recent rains and cooler weather.

The best speech we ever read on labor conditions was delivered by Hon. Theodore Roosevelt at Chicago last year on labor day. He approved union of the right kind, that which incites a higher brotherhood among laborers. Union would be a blessing if used in the right way, but mobbing peaceful men, trying to rule or ruin and other things too numerous to mention are to be condemned by all honest liberty loving and law abiding citizens.

C. W. C.

Elder J. W. Mitchell will preach at the Christian Church Sunday morning and night.

Schedule of Special Trains.

For the information of the people living along the line, we publish below the schedule of special trains that will be run during the five days of the Great Hopkins County Fair at rate of one fare for round trip:

HENDERSON SPECIAL.
Leave Henderson.....8:30 a. m.
" Rankin.....8:40 "
" Robards.....9:00 "
" Sebree.....9:10 "
" Slaughters.....9:25 "
" Hanson.....9:35 "
Arrive Madisonville.....9:50 "
Leave Madisonville.....6:00 p. m.

GUTHRIE SPECIAL.
Leave Guthrie.....7:40 a. m.
" Trenton.....8:00 "
" Pembroke.....8:12 "
" Casey.....8:21 "
" Hopkinsville.....8:30 "
" Kelleys.....8:47 "
" Crofton.....8:56 "
" Empire.....9:02 "
" Mannington.....9:07 "
" Nortonville.....9:17 "
" Morton's.....9:25 "
" Barnsley.....9:30 "
" Earlinton.....9:35 "
Arrive Madisonville.....9:55 "
Leave Madisonville.....6:00 p. m.
The Providence train will be held until 6 p. m. every day during the fair.

Kentucky Fair Dates.

The following are the dates for holding the Kentucky fairs this year so far as reported to this office. Secretaries or other officers will please advise us of any errors or omissions in the list:

Danville, August 6-4 days.
Madisonville, August 6-5 days.
Lawrenceburg, August 9-4 days.
Shepherdsville, August 20-4 days.
Lagrange, August 21-3 days.
Shelbyville, August 27-4 days.
Springfield, August 28-3 days.
Bardonia, September 3-5 days.
Elizabethtown, Sept. 10-4 days.
Bowling Green, Sept. 10-4 days.
Glasgow, Sept. 18-4 days.

Farming in Colorado and New Mexico.

The Denver & Rio Grande Railroad, "The Scenic Line of the World," has prepared an illustrated book upon the above subject, which will be sent free to farmers desiring to change their location. This publication gives valuable information in regard to the agricultural, horticultural and live stock interests of this section, and should be in the hands of everyone who desires to become acquainted with the methods of farming by irrigation. Write S. K. Hooper, G. P. & T. A., Denver, Colo.

While trying to rescue his child from a mad dog at Waco, Madison county, John Portwood, a prominent farmer, was terribly bitten.

The street car strike in Lexington seems a dismal failure, all the cars being manned by non-union men.

Churches in New York Presbytery last year exceeded in their money gifts those of any previous year. They gave \$1,100,242, more than \$150,000 ahead of last year.

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Text of the Lesson, Gen. xv, 1-18. Memory Verses, 5-7-Golden Text, Gen. xv, 1-Companion. Prepared by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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1. "After these things the word of the Lord came unto Abram in a vision." Among the "these things" must be included the Melchizedek story of the previous chapter which the Holy Spirit considered of such importance that He speaks of it and its relation to Christ in Ps. cx and in Heb. v, vi and vii. Let no teacher therefore pass it by. Note the new name of deity "the most high God, possessor of heaven and earth," and consider its use elsewhere. The blessing of Him who owns all things enables us to rise above the temptation to look at or long for the things or the help of this world. All believers are children of Abram, must not fail to give at least the titles to our Melchizedek. Note the significance of the word "vision." Abram has in our lesson today a good many words and phrases used for the first time, such as "the word of the Lord," "vision," "shield," "reward," "believed," "righteousness," etc., and as the first use of a word helps us to understand its significance, we have a most important lesson. "The word of the Lord" may refer to the message which the Lord gave or it may refer to the messenger, the Lord Himself (John 1, 1; xiv, 23; xix, 35). We may read the word of God, we must accept the messages as specially for us. This first "word" takes us to the many other similar words in this precious book. I Joel ii, 21; Mark v, 30.

2. "And Abram said, Lord God, that will Thou give me, and I will be less?" He reminded God that he was still childless and seemed to wonder how when the promise was made. His faith was still weak, but growing. Faith cometh by hearing the word of God (Rom. x, 17) and the more of His word we hear and receive the more faith we will have. In the New Testament record the failings are omitted and only the mighty faith is seen. So when our story is finished it is as if the precious blood has put away all that was of us and therefore airtight, and only that which was wrought in us by God will be seen. Note Heb. xi, 8-19; Rom. ix, 18-21; 4-6. "And he believed in the Lord, and He counted it to him for righteousness. Abram is assured that his heir shall not be any one merely born in his house, but shall be his very own and his only one shall in due time give him. How significant the words "Look now toward heaven." This should be the attitude of every believer at all times, never relying upon an arm of flesh nor upon any human device, but upon the Lord alone. The record of the next chapter had never been if Abram had permitted in looking heavenward. In last lesson we noticed the promise that his seed should be as the stars and its probable significance. Abram received the word. Literally he amended God or said amen to God. The Holy Spirit has noticed this three times in the New Testament (Rom. iv, 3, 21, 22; Gal. iii, 6; Jas. ii, 23) and strongly emphasizes this great truth, that the righteousness which God requires can never become ours by any works of ours, but only by faith in Jesus Christ (Rom. ix, 5; Eph. ii, 8, 9; Titus, iii, 5).

3. "I am the Lord." That should curb everything and dispel every fear. Notice how it begins and ends the seven great "I wills" of Ex. vi, 6, 8. Notice it as a sufficient reason for all that God requires of them (Ex. xii, 2; Lev. xxi, 17-23; xlii, 43) and as an all-wise assurance to them that He will do what He says (Deut. xxxii, 22, 23, 35, 36), and the great truth that all nations have yet to learn (xxviii, 23).

4. "Lord God, whereby shall I know that I shall inherit it?" Strong and weak, steadfast and wavering, up and down, seems to have been the way with him as he grew in grace and in the knowledge of God. Therefore be not discouraged, weak and trembling one, for the Lord will perfect all that concerns you for His name's sake. The creature that he took at God's command and prepared as a sacrifice comprised all ever used as types of the great sacrifice of the Son of God. If you ask, "How shall I know?" the answer is, "Behold the Lamb of God." See the love of God in the gift of His dear Son and believe (Rom. viii, 22).

12-16. The shadow of coming events casts itself upon him, and the Lord tells him of the coming centuries, of a great bondage and a great deliverance at an appointed time. And so it came to pass. He declares the end from the beginning and from ancient times the things that are not yet done, saying, "My counsel shall stand, and I will do all my pleasure" (Isa. xli, 10). Compare Ex. xii, 40, 41, and note how all came to pass just as the Lord said. See also I Kings xii, 2, and II Kings xxiii, 16, 17, as an illustration of the literal and exact fulfillment of prophecy. Neither Abram nor his seed could inherit the land just then because the iniquity of the inhabitants was not yet full. One reason why our Lord does not come and judge the nations is because their iniquity has not yet come to a head. There is a proper time to lance a boil. Our Lord will not be too late in attending to the matter.

17. The smoking furnace and the burning lamp describe the way of the people of God as they journey to the kingdom. There will be the furnace, but His word will prove an unfailing lamp. In the world we shall have tribulation. We must through much tribulation enter the kingdom, but we need not be troubled (John xiv, 1, 27; xvi, 33; Acts xiv, 22; Math. xxiv, 9), for nothing can come to us that will not prove to be the best for us in the light of the glory, and His presence will always sustain us (Rom. viii, 28; Isa. xlii, 1, 2).

18-21. Here we have for the first time the boundaries of the land well defined, not simply what we know as Canada, but from Egypt to the Euphrates, an abundant possession for all Israel when they shall have returned to their own land from all the nations where they are now scattered, for they are to dwell in it, a united people under one King, never to be scattered or pulled up out of it any more (Deut. xxxii, 21, 22; Zeph. iii, 19, 20; Amos ix, 14, 15). He will yet perform the truth to Jacob and the mercy to Abraham which He has sworn from the days of old (Mic. vi, 20). May we be fully persuaded that what God has promised He is able to perform and, fearing no evil, walk humbly with Him in quietness and in confidence.

All Night in a Bear Trap.

A young man who went into the wilds of Minnesota with a party of lumbermen for a bit of experience has come home more than satisfied as is related by the New York Sun:

The first notice he had that he was near the trap was a clip and a snap, and then an excruciating pain as the trap's jaws closed on his right leg just above the ankle. The teeth cut through his trousers, leggings and two pairs of socks and bit into the flesh. In vain he sought to pry open the cruel jaws. It had taken two men to set the trap, and his strength was futile. He only lacerated his flesh by his struggles.

The camp was two miles away and the wind in the wrong, but he fired his gun several times, hoping that the sound would arouse his friends. Night came on and it grew bitterly cold. He doubted if he could survive the chill many hours. From time to time he fired his gun.

Then he was confronted by a new terror. He heard the howling of wolves, which came near and nearer. Soon the undergrowth seemed alive with them and he caught an occasional gleam of their eyes. The unhappy man filled the chambers of his rifle and waited. He could see their dark forms as they scurried about, and then several started toward him. He fired and they retreated howling. He fired recklessly wherever he saw a shadowy form. He knew that the end could not be far off, and resolved to save his last shot and turn his gun on himself. He would never fall alive into those waiting jaws.

He knew by the snarlings and yelps of pain that some of his enemies suffered from his shots. If he ceased firing the brutes waxed bolder and came nearer. Only a few shots remained in his belt. Despair was settling upon him, when he heard the sound of a human voice.

His friends had heard his shots and had come to look for him. Then the poor fellow fainted. The wolves fed. His friends improvised a stretcher and bore him to camp, where it was found of course, that his hair, previously black, had turned gray during his awful experience.

Through the months of June and July our baby was teething and took a running off of the bowels and sickness of the stomach," says Dr. P. M. Holliday, of Deming, Ind. "His bowels would move from five to eight times a day. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house and gave him four drops in a teaspoonful of water and he got better at once." Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; Geo. King, St. Charles; Ben T. Robinson, Mortons Gap.

There Will be Corn to Spare.

In spite of the hot weather and the great injury to the corn in the corn belt, it will be found next fall, when Uncle Sam takes account of stock, that several bushels of the golden cereal have been shaken out within his territory. This is a big country and one of infinite possibilities, even in the production of Indian corn, and the "belt" of that name is long wide and fertile. Experience has demonstrated that if it does not rain enough to produce a full yield in one part of it, it does in another. And, as a rule, the farmer is the least sufferer from a shortage. When his cribs are bursting from a big crop, prices fall, both in

the grain and its resultants of pork and beef. An underyield stiffens prices all along the line, so that he averages up pretty fairly, and there is always enough and to spare for a growing demand from less forward lands than ours. A few million bushels of corn, more or less, cuts no ice with your Uncle Sam.

Freedom from Molestation.

The first announcement made by President SHAFER at the beginning of the steel strike was that his followers would in every way stand by the law and the rights of all their fellow citizens.

Yet in every idle steel centre of the steel industry the strikers are thronging to intercept men coming there to work, and the unmistakable rumblings of riot in case the steel company begins operations are in the air.

Every man with the disposition to work when he can must be free from molestation, physical or moral, at the hands of his rivals. Organized picketing is organized terrorism. It should be stamped on wherever it shows its head.—N. Y. Sun.

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Aug. 11.—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic—Enmities and wars.—Ps. vi, 1-10.

In this familiar passage Paul represents the Christian life as a warfare. His residence as a prisoner at Rome may have suggested this figure. The equipment and discipline of soldiers were a daily spectacle in Rome and would naturally suggest such a parallel. The figure, moreover, is an exceedingly apt one. The Christian life is a struggle, a warfare. It is a fight for God, for truth, for righteousness, for justice against the opposites of these things. It is a constant struggle and warfare.

Never think the victory won. Nor say this arm won. The heavenly race will not be won till thou attain thy crown.

"There is no discharge in this war." It continues so long as life itself continues.

The enemies and the arms of the Christian warfare are the especial subjects of our study.

1. The enemies. (1) These enemies are not physical, but spiritual. "We wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places." (2) Being spiritual, the enemies of the Christian are powerful. The enemy of the human soul and his hosts are shrewd and cunning and all the more powerful because invisible. The legions are the rulers of a sudden ambush. They fight not on a pitched field, but by sudden assault and secret and cunning onslaught. (3) The enemies of the Christian are powerful. Just how much power Satan has over man we do not know, but we do know that his power is great and is not to be despised, but constantly guarded against.

2. The arms. To meet such enemies both defensive and offensive arms are necessary, and they have been provided. The Christian soldier has an armor. Paul calls it the "whole armor of God," and he specifies its several pieces. (1) The girdle. The girdle in the ancient armor was the military belt, which held the rest of the armor in its place, and the sword was the sword. The spiritual girdle is truth. (2) The breastplate. The Roman breastplate covered and protected the heart. The Christian's breastplate is righteousness—not his own righteousness, but Christ's righteousness. (3) Sandals. The legions are the rulers of a sudden ambush. They fight not on a pitched field, but by sudden assault and secret and cunning onslaught. (4) The shield. Roman soldiers used two kinds of shields—a small shield, called a buckler or target, which was held in the left hand during a hand to hand struggle, and a larger shield, which covered the entire person. Paul refers to the large shield, which covered the person and protected the armor of the soldier from being pierced. The Christian's shield is faith, unwavering confidence in God, which guards the mind against doubt or unbelief. (5) The helmet. The Roman helmet protected the head and enabled the soldier to hold his head erect without fear. The Christian's helmet is salvation—not merely the hope of salvation, but the assurance that we are saved here and now. (6) The sword. This is the only offensive weapon that Paul mentions. The Christian's sword is the "sword of the Spirit," which guards the mind against doubt or unbelief. (7) The sword. This is the only offensive weapon that Paul mentions. The Christian's sword is the "sword of the Spirit," which guards the mind against doubt or unbelief. (8) The sword. This is the only offensive weapon that Paul mentions. The Christian's sword is the "sword of the Spirit," which guards the mind against doubt or unbelief. (9) The sword. 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